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The News

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Compulsory Military Service in Canada

OTTAWA, May 18.—Canada is to have compulsory military service on a selective basis. By this method it is proposed by the government to raise an additional force of from fifty to one hundred thousand men to maintain the Dominion's fighting force at the front up to its present strength and state of efficiency.

The announcement was made last night by Sir Robert Borden at the close of a two hours' speech descriptive of the proceedings of the imperial conference and imperial cabinet which Sir Robert has been attending. He also announced that an imperial conference would be held after the war to consider the matter of the constitution of the empire.

The imperial cabinet, which is to meet yearly, is to be a consultative body, which will not have any real power, but will be a body of men, who will be chosen by the various governments of the dominions.

Sir Robert said that he had returned to Canada laden with the utmost gravity of the situation, and with a sense of responsibility for the further efforts of the Dominion at the most critical period of the war. It is apparent, he said, that the voluntary system would yield no further substantial results.

"I believe," he declared, "that in time has come when the authority of the state should be invoked to provide reinforcements necessary to sustain the gallant men at the front."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not commit himself as to the attitude of the opposition with regard to the government's proposal. The same consideration should be given to this measure as had been given to war legislation already passed by parliament. Such a departure from traditional policy would involve grave consideration. It was, he said, the determination of all Canadians that Canada should continue to do her part vigorously until victory is finally achieved. Sir Wilfrid expressed his satisfaction at the announcement of the prime minister that no lessening of the autonomous rights of the overseas dominions was in contemplation.

W. F. Maclean congratulated the government on the adoption of the bill of selective conscription. He said that it might involve some reconstruction in the government to carry it out, and more unanimity in the House.

There were several other speakers during the evening, including Hon. J. C. Hazen and Hon. William Pugh. Mr. Hazen said he was in favor of the bill, and Mr. Pugh said he was in favor of the bill.

Presentation at Hillsdown
A very pleasant gathering of the Hillsdown people took place in the schoolhouse on May 11th, to bid good-bye to Mr. and Mrs. A. Hayworth, who have sold their home and are removing to Vancouver to take their home there. Practically all old timers here, they will be greatly missed in the community, having taken a keen interest in all good works, especially Red Cross work.

Their friends and neighbors presented them with a beautiful leather handbag for Mrs. Hayworth, and a wallet for Mr. Hayworth, with an address.

A very pleasant evening was spent, dancing being kept up until an early hour, all being loth to part with such good neighbors, which is our loss and somebody else's gain. We wish them God speed, and happiness in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hayworth wish to thank their Valley Centre and Hillsdown neighbors for the lovely gifts which they will prize, not alone for the value of them, but for the kind spirit in which they were given. They will never forget the happy times they have spent among the people of Hillsdown, no matter where they may go.

The following was the addresses: To Mr. and Mrs. Hayworth: Dear friends,
We, the Hillsdown friends and neighbors, have assembled here to convey to you in a slight degree the esteem in which you are held by us. We have enjoyed and appreciated your sojourn here. We shall miss your kindly faces and your companionship and untiring efforts for good in all our Red Cross meetings, as well as in social gatherings. We sincerely regret you are going so far from us, and that we will not have you at our meetings; our loss is somebody's gain. We desire to express the wish that the ties you have formed in this vicinity may not be severed by your removal, but may be cherished as memories as they will be by us, in affectionate remembrance. And may God's blessing ever attend you in your new home, be the prayer of a host of friends; and as an appreciation of your work and worth in our midst, we ask your acceptance of these small tokens.
May 11th, 1917.

THE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
has a couple of acres of cultivated garden land, east of the city, for cultivation this spring. Applied to E. Wilton, Hopworth & Trimble, or at Advocate office.

PINE LAKE.

May 19th, 1917.
News has come to hand that O. Knight, who left here with the 5th Battalion and subsequently transferred into the Royal Flying Corps, has been killed in action. He had been awarded the Military Cross.

S. E. Meredith-Brown, who joined up with the 12th Mounted Rifles, has been wounded, but no news as yet as to whether he is badly wounded or not.

C. Whitaker, of Arthurvale, who joined up with a Calgary Battalion and was transferred into the 49th (Edmonton) Battalion, is wounded by a gunshot wound in the left arm. Most of the boys from this district in the 18th have gone over to France.

Miller Sims, who was in the 89th Battalion, has died of wounds. He was mentioned in despatches for carrying a wounded comrade. His parents used to reside at Edwell, went, about two years ago, to Chilivack, B.C. A brother still resides on the old Crocker place.

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A mass meeting will be held in the Parish Hall on Saturday evening, May 26th, at 8.30 p.m., when addresses will be given by E. Michener, Esq., and James Ramsey, Esq., merchant of Edmonton, Esq., and Mr. Welliver is invited to be present and address the meeting. Questions are invited. Windows will be open. Ladies are specially invited to be present.

LIBERAL MEETING
A public meeting was held in the interest of the Candidature of Mr. R. B. Welliver at the Parish Hall on Saturday evening last. There was a crowded house and a very orderly meeting. W. T. Coote took the chair and introduced the speakers of the evening.

R. B. Welliver was the first to speak and kept it up for about three quarters of an hour. He spoke in regard to some of the various Bills passed by the Alberta Legislature and then defined his stand on various questions. Premier Sifton followed him, giving his reasons for an election and stating that the Government should be judged by its past record. He chided, however, attack on the Leader of the Opposition, did not give the audience much information on any point at all.

After the Premier had finished his speech, the National Anthem was immediately sung.

The peculiar part of this meeting was that, although the speakers appealed to the unbiased minds of the female voters, not a chance was given them to ask questions. This is apparently an insult to all.

REFLECTIONS ON MONDAY'S MEETING
Sifton's soft soap given away free on Monday night—no, we didn't take it for free.

The eulogy of Mr. Welliver by Chairman Coote beat the funeral oration of Mark Anthony into a cocked hat.

The suggested headlines for our contemporary for the next issue would be "The Saviour of the 'common' people," R. B. Welliver.

The Liberal candidate was heavy on that "common" people stuff on Monday night—wonder how the general public liked it.

The amount of standing that Mr. Welliver tends to do, he will no doubt be still standing on the Resurrection Day.

We hear there was a policeman waiting outside the hall Monday night to arrest the candidate for "Murder" of the King's English.

Mr. Welliver stated that he would not start any work before election to catch votes, in alluding to the remark in a recent issue of the "News" re the Ladies' College. He would ask Mr. Welliver to collect his thoughts and see if he does not know something about work on the "Ladies' College" himself. We know anyhow.

"The Liberal government is not the only government that grates." This was a statement at the meeting by Candidate Welliver. While Mr. Sifton tried to show what an ideal government we have in Alberta.

We poor men can now sleep peacefully in our beds at night—no more worry in future. After Mr. Welliver has got all that is coming to him, he will be left with "spend all" his time in uplifting the common people.

Welliver's oration was the greatest example of an oration that grates. The quotation of the price of oats in Spokane sounds something like a speech prepared by the "U. S. Trainer."

What a slur on the Liberal Campaign when the Chairman announced that but very little time Mr. Welliver had to stop speaking, so that the speaker might speak before the people got "tired."

When the Premier started to talk of the Wild Land Tax, someone on the platform blurted:

R. B. Welliver is a pretty large man, but he has not shoulders big enough to carry the burden of fighting the Liberal government. He is the "common" people. Besides, what will the Loan Companies say?

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Letters from the Front

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Richards received a letter from Lt. Col. W. G. Trevener a few days ago, full of sympathy regarding the death of their son, Sergt. Willie Richards. He said: "I was the best friend he ever had, and there never was a better boy in France. He had the pleasure of meeting their son in England. We were all very fond of Willie in the Company, and we will always think of him and the way he cheered the boys up when anything was on. He never knew what fear was, I am perfectly certain, and he was a general favorite. Corp. Trevener hopes to be able to pay Mr. and Mrs. Richards a visit on his return from the war."

Mr. H. H. Gaetz received the following letter from Capt. A. R. Gibson last week: April 24th, 1917.

Dear H. H.:
You may have noticed my name in the casualty list, and some of you may have speculated as to the nature of my hurts. I was slightly wounded by shrapnel on the Virdy ridge during the morning of April 24th, 1917, basking in the April sunshine. Man, but it was a great day for Old Canada. All four divisions were together at the same moment, just like a parade; but unfortunately I was not privileged to see much of it as I was hit before we got to the top of the ridge. My wounds are a nasty scratch on the corner of my left eye, and it will take some little time to get well.

The war will not take this summer, so I expect to see you all some time next spring.

Was that Horace Meers' name I saw among the wounded? Clowes' also appeared. Both are lucky. Do you know, Hal, I never hear a word from Red Deer now at all. I never hear a word from Red Deer now at all. I never hear a word from Red Deer now at all. I never hear a word from Red Deer now at all.

Please let my friends know that I am doing well, and remind them that a letter or paper would be more than welcome. Yours fraternally, Capt. A. R. Gibson.

13th Canadians
c/o Bank of Montreal, 8 Waterloo Place, London, England.

A CONTRAST
In the report of the morning meeting for Dr. Blaw, Calgary, Monday night in the Albertan, the reporter was speaking down Dr. Blaw's speech when he writes:

"At this point Mr. Michener entered the room and received a great ovation. He was standing at the head of the table and he had stamped the province for prohibition while the Sifton Cabinet had stayed at home."

Contrast this reception with that given Premier Sifton Monday night here when barely a dozen people, apart from the police, were present on the platform.

Michener Meetings

May 26th—Red Deer
May 28th—Leduc
May 29th—Great Bend
May 30th—Delburne
May 31st—Cambridge
June 1st—Valley Centre
June 2nd—Willowdale
June 3rd—Burnt Lake
June 4th—Eckville
June 5th—Rocky Mountain House
June 6th—Edmonton

MARRIED
On Sunday, May 20th, 1917, Frank Carey to Miss Violet Corine Pankot, both of Edwail, Alta., at Mrs. Barton's home, Penhold. Rev. W. S. Brooker, officiated.

RE MR. WELLIVER'S INCAPABILITY
To the editor of the News:
Dear Sir,
In your paper to show your readers Mr. Welliver's incapability as a representative of this constituency. Since he appealed to us in the last election, he has held what is known as the patronage of this constituency. Although I am no advocate of any such evil system, nevertheless, the one having the power, if he does not exercise it for the good of the community, he is exercising it for the benefit of himself. Let us see how Mr. Welliver has exercised that duty. When the Court House was built, he went to the Court House for which a very deserving party was appointed, but the Sifton government was not satisfied with that, and sent one to replace him.

GOOD NEWS FROM RUSSIA.

PETHOGRAU, May 16, via London.—The government and the radicals who have been hampering its activities have reached an agreement on three important points and cabinet reconstruction has been inaugurated.

Following the publication of important cabinet changes, including the retirement of Prof. Paul N. Milukoff, foreign minister, from the cabinet, the official news agency issued this statement:

"The three cardinal points upon which the government, the executive committee of the duma and the delegates of the workers and soldiers' clubs have agreed are:

"The unity of the Allied fronts."
"The fullest confidence of the revolution in democracy in the reconstructed cabinet."
"A plenitude of powers for the government."

UNTIMELY ELECTION
(The Edmonton Journal)
The prime minister is in a sore way for a defense of his action in this on this untimely election. He knows as does everyone else who knows anything of the system under which we are governed, that it makes no difference how many sessions are held by a legislature. Its maximum term is fixed by the actual time after the return of the election writs. This was four years under the autonomy act and later an extension to five was made. The government was under no constitutional necessity to dissolve the house for another year and its only reason for doing so now is that it thinks it has a better chance of securing a lease of power under present conditions than when the soldiers return, at they may, and we all hope they will, within the next twelve months.

Miss Collison is visiting her brother and Mrs. Collison.

Mrs. S. H. Smith writes to thank all those who have so kindly sent messages of condolence to her with regard to the loss of her brother, Pte. Kenneth Smith, late of 50th Battalion, C.E.F.

The I.O.E.F. will hold a whist drive in the Parish Hall on Friday afternoon, June 1st, at 3 o'clock. Will the ladies of the city keep this date in mind? All ladies of the city who do not wish to be left out to be present and have a cup of tea.

Pte. Sidney Healy, of Hill End, writing to his friends says Pte. W. Gowan was killed while assisting a wounded comrade. His last message to him as he passed to the beyond was "Write the folks. I've done my bit for King and Country and comrades."

Roy Byers, who has been the popular manager of the Cushing Lumber yard for some time, has resigned his position with that firm and will likely take some other position in the city. K. M. Byers, the old manager, is back on the job again.

The appeal of the Executive of the U.F.A., that on Sunday, May 27th, they should place in the U.F.A. the spirit of Christianity to the problems of life, as the members of the U.F.A. find these, will be the subject of the speakers at the morning service in the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Services in keeping with the great festival of Whit-Sunday will be held at St. Luke's Church on Sunday, May 27th. There will be no 8 o'clock service, but there will be a Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service, when it is hoped that a large number will be present. Sunday School will be held at 2.30 p.m. and evening service at 7.30. Members of the choir are asked to make every effort to attend the practice on Friday night, and both services on Sunday.

CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND
On the allotments made for the current fiscal year, you will find the percentages herewith that have been paid to April 30th.

	Per Cent.
Acadia	148
Bay View	115
Calgary	57
Cardston	39
Charlestown	65
Cochrane	115
Coronation	79
Didsbury	115
Drumheller	175
Gleichen	108
Hand Hills	108
High River	99
Immola	51
Little Bow	82
Lethbridge	6
Meleod	66
Medicine Hat	51
Nanton	87
Okotoks	33
Olds	66
Peach Creek	65
Red Deer	68
Redfield	74
Rocky Mountain House	104
Stettler	127
Tribulation	127
Warner	100
Red Deer stands 18th in a list of 27.	

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Premier Sifton Would Let Alien Enemies in Alberta Vote at Coming Elections

Veterans Making Angry Protests

CALGARY, Alberta, May 17th.—Speaking amid numerous and angry interruptions from returned veterans in a huge audience that crowded the Grand theatre to the doors. Premier A. L. Sifton last night declared positively that he believed enemy aliens naturalized prior to the war, who have obeyed the laws since, are as much entitled to a vote in the provincial election as anyone else.

SOLDIERS INSISTED ON ANSWER

This was a question which the soldiers insisted on having answered, and amid an uproar, one loud voiced questioner kept shouting: "You're going to let the aliens vote, are you?" "You're going to let aliens vote!" "Certainly," declared the premier. Other speakers at the meeting included Editor W. M. Davidson, of the Morning Albertan, candidate for the legislature in North Calgary, who protested himself with regard to the question of aliens voting by saying that if aliens meant Americans, Russians, Frenchmen and others of the allies, he was in favor of their voting. Mrs. Nellie McClung declared that she was for the present, administration because it was in the statute books of the province the Woman Suffrage and prohibition laws.

RETURNED VETERAN SPEAKS

The real feature of the evening, however, was a ten-minute speech by Sergeant Major Guille, a returned veteran, who declared that he was there to "impeach" the premier for alleged refusal to obtain the enactment of a law preventing enemy aliens from voting at the provincial election. Sergeant Guille's statement resulted in fierce heckling of the premier by returned soldiers sprinkled throughout the audience, one of them giving the lie direct to Mr. Sifton, when he insisted that he had never been approached on the subject until a week ago, more than a month after the legislature, which had the only control over the subject, had adjourned. This statement led the soldier hecklers in the audience to insist on a definite reply from the premier as to his views regarding alien enemies voting, and he gave them in detail and positively, as stated above.

PRESENT GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

With reference to the record of the present government, the premier insisted that, although all the railroads promised under the government's guarantees may not have been built, still the government during its regime is to be credited with more than 3,000 miles constructed, due to its encouragement or pressure. He included in this mileage 550 miles constructed by the Canadian Pacific which he declared had been built solely because the Canadian Pacific had been compelled to do so through the encouragement extended to other railroads by the provincial government. The government had brought the election on at the present time, declared the premier, for two reasons. One was that the legislature had gone through five sessions in a continuous line, and the other was that since January last, every Conservative newspaper and politician in the province had been talking election.

DISSENTING ELEMENT LARGE

The premier was greeted with much applause at several points in his speech but the dissenting element in the crowd was very large. One soldier asked a question as to the thousands of soldiers overseas who are disarmed by the government's election arrangements for soldiers, but the premier failed to hear, or overlooked answering the question in the general uproar. The premier declared that enemy aliens who were naturalized and were guilty of making improper remarks could be interned by the federal authorities. Anyone who made slighting remarks regardless of their nationality could be imprisoned by the federal government.

Rums Use up all Divisions.

Further Progress has been Made in Villages of Roux and Bullecourt—

BERLIN, May 17 (Via London).—The ground which was captured by Germans in the village of Roux yesterday morning was lost, following a strong British counter-attack, says today's official statement.

LONDON, May 17.—The British have made further progress in the village of Bullecourt and have reached its western edge, according to an official statement issued by the British war office this morning.

LONDON, May 17.—The British and French have forced the Germans to use virtually all the fresh reserves they held at the beginning of the battle of Arras. Major-General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, told the Associated Press today. When the British offensive began the Germans had forty-nine reserve divisions on the western front. The British onslaught at Arras and the more recent French offensive have compelled the Germans to employ all but four of these divisions.

The German divisions have been reorganized since the beginning of the war. General Maurice continued, but at present contain at least 30,000 men each.

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Rocky Mountain House

May 15th, 1917.

Mrs. P. McDermott and little son Ross left last week for Edmonton where Ross will undergo an operation in the hospital there. They will be gone about two weeks.

We were sorry to learn last week that Jos. B. Anderson, formerly of the Hotel Mountain View, had been killed at the front.

The dance given by the C.N.R. shopmen at Lochearn last Wednesday evening was one of the most pleasant and jolliest gatherings held in this vicinity for some time.

Mrs. Thompson and her family have for the season and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Thompson have moved to Lochearn. Geo. Pettit is now busy loading piling for the C.N.R. at Rocky Mountain House on the west side of the river.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Good are once more in good health, all thanks to Mrs. Chas. Durnford has fully recovered from La Grippe.

Were Billy Syronides and tonsorial artist Dave or disappointed? Never mind, boys, the election is expected about the middle of June, and you can now get busy.

Some claim to having the poker game stopped one evening last week and then sitting in to the game again a night or so after. What? We hear that David S. Spence has been given a commission as J.P. It is to be hoped that David will deal out a little justice as well as look for the dollars.

The new Presbyterian student, Mr. Ham, has had a good turnout the last two Sunday evenings he has been holding service here.

Whatever happens we must not forget the dance in the Oddfellows' Hall on the evening of the 24th, which is being held under the patronage of the Rokebak Lodge.

He'll Fool Them Yet

OTTAWA, May 15.—Lieut. James Lowery, M.L.A. for Lloydminster, is making satisfactory progress in the hospital at London, according to members of Sir Robert Borden's party who visited there. He was wounded three times, and while being carried off the field on a stretcher was shot again by a sniper. This was at Virry Ridge.

LOAN TO RUSSIA

WASHINGTON, May 16th.—The government today made its first loan to Russia \$100,000,000—bringing the amount thus far advanced to the Allies up to \$625,000,000.

Votes for Women in Dominion is Borden's Policy.

Dr. Clark Deserts His Colleagues on This Question

OTTAWA, May 16th.—Women suffrage for all of Canada before the next appeal to the country was the plain intimation of Sir Robert Borden in a speech in the commons on the subject last night. The premier did not make a definite announcement on the question. He could not, but he left no doubt in the minds of those who heard him that he proposes to give the vote to the women of Canada. He was clear on the subject, however, that women franchise should not be restricted to those provinces which have already granted the provincial franchise to women. He did not believe in discrimination against the women of the provinces which have not yet been granted it.

BEFORE NEXT ELECTION

The premier also made it clear that the franchise should be settled before the next election. He hoped that this would not mean this session, evidently thinking that he presumed the Liberals would agree to an extension of the parliamentary term. To emphasize his position the premier moved an amendment to a resolution of Donald Sutherland which had precipitated the debate to the effect that parliament should consider the question of granting women the right to vote before the next general election.

MEANS NEW LISTS

The premier's speech, which throughout was a strong argument to board granting of three members of the House, and particularly to the Liberals. There had been no previous intimation that the government was considering the subject. The Liberals found themselves in an awkward position. The granting of female suffrage throughout all of Canada will of necessity mean the addition of a new Dominion franchise act which is prepared by the Dominion. This is the last time in the world the Liberals want. Seven out of the nine provinces have Liberal governments, and the opposition as a result is moving enthusiastically in favor of the present law, which means that the provincial lists would be rotated. The political consideration before them was that one thing they could do—argue in favor of a restricted franchise and a separate institution to those provinces which have already granted female suffrage.

DR. CLARK DESERTS

R. B. Bennett made a convincing argument in favor of the adoption of a franchise act. In this he was supported by Dr. Michael Clark, who also announced himself in accord with Sir Robert Borden on the question of women suffrage. Dr. Clark declared that Sir Wilfrid's position was unsound, and he chafed his Liberal colleagues for their "Toryism." His remarks were not relished by his colleagues, who plainly showed their resentment.

W. A. Buchanan, Medicine Hat, expressed the opinion that the women throughout Canada should be given the right to vote.

Mr. Pugsley moved an amendment to the amendment regarding to be the duty of the government to bring in a measure this session dealing with the question of women's franchise.

Sir Robert Ames objected that it was out of order, and the speaker promised to consider the matter at a later sitting. The debate was adjourned by H. B. Murphy, North 10th.

GREENLEAF

May 14th, 1917.

The weatherman is to be congratulated on the fine weather we have for the place, has returned to spend a month or two on his farm.

Mrs. M. Kobayashi, of Calgary, is here on a visit.

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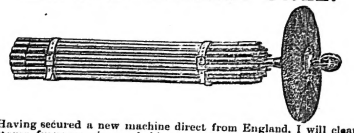
Congratulations, Mr. Mark. We should all remember on election day that we owe the present government nothing.

Births, at Evergreen—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mark, on May 13th, 1917, a daughter.

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The levy for capital expenditure shall not be higher than two mills on the dollar.

As soon as the plans are approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, the council shall prepare a by-law for submission to the electors, which must be voted on within three months.

For full information as to how to arrange for and conduct a Municipal Hospital under this Act, apply to JOHN PERRIE, Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs, Edmonton.

Evergreen

"The public mass meeting held in the Evergreen store building by E. McHenry, M.P., and H. F. Kenny, was largely attended in spite of bad weather and worse roads. Joseph Buresh, of this place, acting as interpreter for the foreign element. The addresses given were very much to the point, and enjoyed by all present.

Ladies don't forget the Grand House Cleaning in Edmonton, June 7th.

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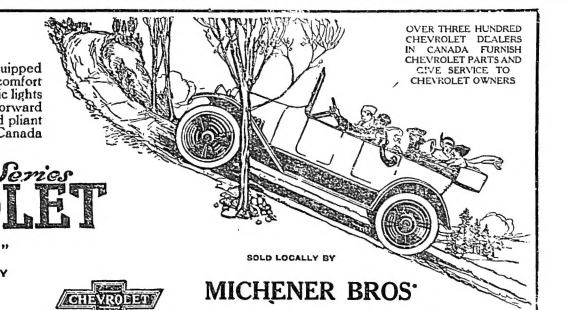
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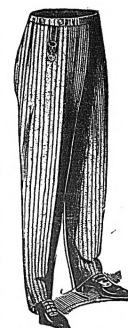
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Latest posed photograph of Major Hamilton Gault, Montreal, in uniform of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, which he founded.

Turkey Offers Terms

ROME, via Paris, May 14.—The Ideal Nazionale, the organ of the Nationalist party, prints a report from diplomatic quarters that Turkey has made overtures to Russia, through a neutral source, for a separate peace on the basis of the complete opening of the straits to Russian navigation, both for war and merchant vessels.

WHAT REAL ECONOMY MEANS

(London Daily Mail)

It will mean more guns and ammunition, therefore more security for the men in the trenches. It will mean more ships in the Navy, therefore more security for the people at home. It will mean reduced loss of life in pushing the enemy out of France and Belgium. It will mean increased speed in bringing about a decisive victory. It will mean disheartening the Germans and their allies, who will judge of our determination to beat them by the amount which we subscribe for this purpose. It will mean a win for us instead of an unsatisfactory "draw." It is worth while to wear an old coat if you can save a life by it. It is worth-while dining the bread and cheese if you can help your country to win.

An Eminent French Canadian

THE French-Canadians have always taken a close personal interest in the fortunes of what they call for short "Le Pacifique." Just as the English have abbreviated the Canadian Pacific Railway into the more familiar C. P. R. it is, therefore, only right that they should be represented on the board of directors, and no more fitting representative of the race could be found than Senator, the Hon. Frederic Ligori Beique, whose career has been one of such distinction in so many paths of life. Lawyer, business man, and philanthropist, interested in many charities, his days have been, and continue to be, full of useful labors in the upbuilding of his native country and in promoting the welfare of her people. His is one of those versatile natures, which, paradoxical as the expression may appear, is only at rest when in the midst of labor.

F. L. Beique, the son of Louis Beique, was born in St. Mathias, Riverview County, Quebec, on May 20th, 1846. Acquiring his education at the College de Ste. Marie de Monroville, he chose law for his profession, and later on became an LL.D. of Laval University. He was called to the bar in 1868, and made a King's Counselor for the Province of Quebec in 1885, and for the Dominion of Canada in 1889. Accurate knowledge, sound judgment and clear speaking made him one of the leading lawyers of his period. His brothers in the legal profession have recognized this. From 1891 to 1893 he was Batonnier of the Bar in the district of Montreal.

Senator Beique has been engaged as counsel in many celebrated cases. He repeatedly pleaded before the Privy Council in England; he was a member of the Royal Commission in the famous Whelan case of 1890; as counsel for the late Hon. H. Mercur and his colleagues who were accused in connection with the Bala des Chateaux railway by the Lieutenant Governor of Quebec, in 1891, he won a wide reputation. In 1898 and 1899 he was counsel for the Dominion before the Behring Sea Claims Commission. For years he has worked in partnership with Sir Louis Jetté, and he still energetically pursues his legal practice. Referring to Senator Beique the "Montreal Star" says: "As a commercial lawyer he has few if any peers."

Not less successful as a business man, Senator Beique has been associated with numerous commercial enterprises. With the late David Morrice, and the late A. F. Gault he took a prominent part in guiding the destinies of the V. Hudson Cotton Company, the Hochelaga Cotton Company, the St. Ann's Cotton Company, the Canadian Colored Cotton Company (now the Canadian Cottons), the Dominion Cotton Mills Company, and as lawyer for all these concerns and a director of some of them, his influence has been strong in pointing out the channels through which business should be conducted. As a member of the board of directors of the Royal Electric Company he was one of those mainly responsible for its development. He promoted the Chamby Manufacturing Company and with Sir Herbert Holt, was one of the directors of the company. He was also a director of the Montreal Park and Island Railway Company; many real estate concerns owe their existence to this financier. He is vice-president of the Bank of Hochelaga and of the Assurance Insurance Company. He has occupied and is pres-



SENATOR THE HON. F. L. BEIQUE.

NEW DIRECTOR OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, and occupying the position of director in several other companies. It would be difficult to enumerate the different public welfare societies which have benefited by his zeal. During his presidency of St. Joseph's Society the Monument National was erected in connection therewith, and the society became a powerful, useful and leading social and educational institution. It was also under his presidency that La Caisse Nationale d'Economie was established and became an important and evergrowing society.

As a director of Montreal Technical School from its inception the work of Senator Beique has achieved valuable results. In the care of the sick he takes a deep interest and is a governor of the Montreal General Hospital and of the Notre Dame Hospital. He has been a Catholic School Commissioner, a director of the Parks and Playgrounds Association, vice-president of the Charity Organization Society, and vice-president of the League for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. He was formerly a director of the Montreal Citizens' Association. In 1902 he was called to the Senate by the position of chairman of the Railway Committee. He continues to take a leading part on all the important committees and in everything that relates to legislation. Senator Beique has always been a believer in the Canadian Pacific Railway, and for many years has been a large shareholder of the company. On the directing body he succeeds the Hon. Robert Mackay. If death has taken away an old and gifted mind from the C. P. R. another ripe in experience and wisdom has succeeded. In 1876 the then Mr. Beique married Miss Caroline Angelina Desautels, Lady of Grace of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem in England, who takes a prominent part in many social spheres. They have been blessed with a family of seven sons, who are living, and two daughters. Captain Victor Beique, one of the youngest of the boys, largely helped in the recruiting of the 89th French-Canadian Battalion, now overseas, and Captain Beique is now fighting in the country from which his forefathers originally came.

"A maker of Canadian history," that is how the "Montreal Herald" has described Senator Beique. The footsteps of the seventy-one years of his life have passed so lightly over his countenance that one would not think they had all trodden there. He is a man of active frame, medium height, and a physique that is more remarkable for its energy than for its strength. He moves with a quiet step, and the attitude in which you invariably find him is one of gentleness and kindness. The gentleness of his manner makes the most timid of his interviewers feel at ease. He is an attentive listener, and is always capable of putting himself in the other fellow's place. One might say that he is one of those who would inspire men to do things because they are happy to follow his guidance rather than because they may feel it incumbent on themselves to obey his commands. Were it possible to build material monuments to generous doings on the sympathetic side of existence, the spiritual course of Senator Beique might be marked with memorial tablets as those which stand to his temporal achievements. French is his mother tongue, but he speaks English with a fluent harmonious voice.

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Ladies Middy Blouses, all white, in plain and Norfolk styles at 1.50 and 1.75.

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Childrens Straw Hats in white with colored ribbon bands, at 35c to 1.00

Children's Wash Hats

Childrens Washable Hats in white and colors at 25c.

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Childrens colored play straw hats with checked and plain bands, at 40c and 50c.

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Ladies Sport Hats in pink and white stripes and white trimmed with blue and white stripes priced at 1.00.

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DEPOSIT OF ASPHALT in the world, hitherto untouched, is in northwestern Canada, its southern boundary being about 300 miles north of Edmonton. The area, according to the Scientific American, is probably not less than 1,000 square miles and the average thickness is upward of 100 feet. The railroad from Edmonton, begun two years ago, is now almost completed, and it will be possible to get this asphalt out. Its form is a sand containing 15 per cent. bitumen. At the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research in Pittsburgh, a process for separating the asphalt from the sand has been developed.

All this is now on Canadian Government property, but it is expected that it will be opened for commercial exploitation. (From New York World, May 6, 1917)

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PUBLIC MASS MEETING

IN THE

PARISH HALL,

ON

SATURDAY, MAY 26,

AT 8.30 P.M.

Speeches by
E. MICHENER, M.P.P., Leader of the Opposition in the Alberta Legislature.
JAMES RAMSEY, Edmonton.
MR WELLIVER INVITED TO SPEAK.
 Questions Invited. Windows will be Open.
Red Deer Citizen's Band in attendance.
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Local and District Intelligence

Pianos tuned—J. E. Welton.

Mary Miles Minter at the Lyric Thursday afternoon and night.

The winning ticket for the Soldiers' Wives' cushion was 30.

Sergt. Hanna was home from Calgary over the week-end.

Mrs. F. C. Whitehouse left Wednesday for a trip to Montreal and points east.

Prof. Masse is in the city this week doing artistic piano tuning—highly recommended by noted musicians here.

At Memorial Hospital, Red Deer, on April 14th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. T. Eckford, of Exville, a son.

Mrs. H. H. Humber and children left Thursday for a three months' trip to relatives at St. Thomas and other Ontario points.

There will be a dance at Sandy Cove Hotel, Pine Lake, on Thursday, May 24th, at 8.30 p.m. Every-body welcome.

Mr. E. A. Molson, Calgary, formerly manager of the Merchants Bank at Red Deer, was renewing old acquaintances in the city Thursday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will be held on Friday, May 25th, at 3 o'clock, in the Church Hall.

Baptist church, Rev. L. Elgin Brough, pastor. On Sunday morning the Pastor will give his monthly missionary address—subject "Revolution and religion in Russia." Sunday School at 12 o'clock, sharp.

Don't fail to attend the special matinee on the 24th at the Lyric Theatre—see the beautiful star, Mary Miles Minter, in that wonderful play "Environment." Afternoon plays, 5-15 cents; time, 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. MacKay and family are moving to Calgary, where Mr. MacKay takes over the duties of Superintendent of elevators for the Alberta Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Co.

The regular monthly (ten cent tea and sale of cooking of the Women's Club will be held in the Women's Institute rooms on Saturday afternoon next, May 26th. Home made candy will be sold by the Executive Class.

Mr. Tows, of the Lyric Theatre, wishes to inform the public that all moving pictures shown on the screen at the Lyric Theatre, under his management, have been passed by the head censor at Edmonton, Alta.

Rev. L. E. Brough was greeted with a large attendance at Poplar Bridge last Sunday. Next Sunday afternoon he will observe U. F. A. Sunday service; and will preach on the subject "A farmer was a fool."

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the ladies parlor of the Methodist church, on Friday, May 25th, at 3 p.m. A report of the District Convention will be given by Mrs. McPherson. All ladies interested are invited to attend.

The regular meeting of the Waskasoo Red Cross Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Parks on May 10. After a dainty lunch served by the ladies the meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Hicks on Thursday, May 31st. It is hoped all members will be present at the next meeting as business of importance will be transacted.

The Pastor and officers of the Baptist church have agreed to give up their service next Sunday evening in deference to Rev. W. M. Ryan, who says goodbye to his congregation that evening. The members of the Baptist church and congregation are asked by the Pastor to avail themselves of their own morning service and to attend the Methodist church in the evening.

Nomination will be held in North Red Deer to fill the vacancies in the North Red Deer Council caused by the resignation of Reeve William Rich and Councillor Allan McKenzie on Monday night next, at 8 o'clock, May 28th. In the meantime Councillor Durand is the only Councillor left and he is undertaking to drain the surplus water from the Village to the river, at considerable cost. We think this action on Councillor Durand's part is illegal and unwise as he will probably have other members of the Council to consult with after the nomination on Monday evening next, and unless he can get his work endorsed by another of the Council, he may have to foot the bill himself.

The visit of Principal Fraser, of Montreal, and Dr. Robertson, of Toronto, was a matter of great interest and profit to all who heard them last Friday afternoon and evening in the Presbyterian church. Representatives were present from nearly all the congregations between Oids and Lacombe, as well as a representative gathering of the people of Knox Church, Red Deer. The address of Principal Fraser in the evening was ethical, historical, and scientific, and must have satisfied all who heard it. As President and Secretary of the Association that will continue the Presbyterian church in Canada instead of being merged in the proposed organic union, these men have received a splendid welcome in Western Canada. Their arrival is to let the people know all the facts and trust the people, who are the church.

Judgment has been reserved by the Supreme Court of Canada in the Clark v. Heworth cases.

Phantom minnows at 45c., 60c., 65c. and 75c.; tennis balls and bats, flags, balls and bats at John McVie's, Gaetz Avenue, North.

There will be a box social and dance at Crossroads Schoolhouse on Friday, June 1st. Ladies are requested to bring boxes, and everybody welcome.

A meeting of the Alberta Natural History Society will be held in the Public Library room, Red Deer, on Wednesday, May 30th, at 8 p.m. The President, Mr. Whitehouse, will give a paper on "Local Fish."

The beautiful solo "My Task" will be sung by Miss L. Ebert at the evening service Sunday next, at the Methodist church. The choir will give the anthem "Christian, the alorn," with Miss Kathleen Ramsay and Mr. Kenny as the soloists. For fifteen to twenty minutes preceding this service, the organist will give a short recital.

A very foolish and disastrous report has been circulated in the country that our respected citizen, J. C. Brazier, was a German. Mr. Brazier, a loyal Frenchman, is naturally indignant. Nobody in the city would pay a moment's attention to such a story, and take it as a joke, but he is going to make it not. For somebody if he can catch the person who started it. There is a more loyal citizen in the country than he, and he also has many relations fighting for their King and Country.

CARD OF THANKS
 Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Atkins and family desire to express their thanks to those friends who spoke words of sympathy during their late bereavement, also to those who sent kind letters of sympathy.

FOR SALE—A REGISTERED
 Shorthorn Bull. Apply to Walter Scott, Knebo Hill Valley, Rural Route No. 1, Innisfail, Alta. 1w1

TWO GOOD CALVES FOR SALE—
 Apply, J. Lowes, butcher.

FOR SALE—N.W. Sec. 20, Tp. 39, Rg. 27, West of the 4th M.: three miles west of Blackfalds; 60 acres broken. Can be bought reasonably for cash. Apply J. Stewart, Blackfalds. May 23, 4w1.

MR. WELLIVER'S MEETINGS
 Meetings, in the interests of Mr. Welliver, the Liberal candidate, will be held as follows:
 Thursday evening, May 24th, Cumberland Schoolhouse.
 Friday evening, May 25th, Valley Centre Schoolhouse.
 Saturday evening, May 26th, Willowdale Schoolhouse.
 Monday evening, May 28th, Burnt Lake Schoolhouse.
 Tuesday, May 29th, Sylvan Lake.
 Wednesday, May 30th, Red Deer.
 Thursday, May 31st, Eberts.
 Friday, June 1st, Eberts.
 Saturday, June 2nd, Diamond Valley.
 Monday, June 4th, Rocky Mountain House.
 Tuesday, June 5th, Leslieville.

Markerville, Alta., May 18th, 1917.

To the Electors of the Provincial Constituency of Innisfail:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—
 I am in the field as Liberal Candidate for this constituency at the coming Provincial Election, which, as you are all aware, is to be held on June 7th. As it will be impossible for me to see each elector personally, I am taking this means of addressing you, and of intimating what my course of conduct will be should I be elected.

I have been a resident of this constituency for nearly eighteen years, and during the past few years have travelled through every part of it, and I think you will agree with me when I say that the most pressing local problem is that of good roads, and I believe as a first step in the solution of this problem, a system of drainage should be carried out. It will be the duty of your representative to support with vigor and persistence a good roads policy, and to impress upon the government the absolute necessity of the improvement of our highways.

For all these years I have been interested in the creamery business in this constituency. My energies have been devoted to this industry, and I think I can say without boasting that my efforts in this direction have been successful. In a district so well adapted to mixed farming as ours is, the encouragement and improvement of the dairy industry is an object of the very first importance.

While running as a supporter of the Liberal Government, and while a believer in Liberal principles, I reserve to myself the right of free action and judgment in all matters pertaining to the welfare of this constituency, and to the Province at large. I am supporting the Government on its past record and especially for the amount of progressive and helpful legislation which it has placed upon the statute books of this province.

I am only making one promise and that is if elected to do my best to represent you faithfully and well. I will appreciate your support in the coming contest.

Yours truly,
 DAN MORKEBERG.
 May 23, 2w.

FOR SALE—CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, tomato, and celery plants in season. Bedding plants, garden peas, rhubarb roots and seed, horseradish roots, Manitoba maple, lilac bushes, caragana, and other flowering shrubs. Jos. Cole, Victoria Avenue. May 2, 1m.1

WANTED TO LEASE—160 ACRES
 land adjoining town of Stauffer to lease to reliable family, 3 buildings, road, fenced; very cheap rent to good family. Write at once to Moe Hertz, 335, Union Oil Bldg., Los Angeles, California. May 9, 2w1

WANTED
 Two or three hundred bushels of grain for hog feed. Alberta Meat Market. April 25, 1u.

WANTED—HORSES AND CATTLE
 to pasture; plenty of good grass and water; charges reasonable. Apply to Paton & Son, Penhold. May 2, 1m.1

TAMARAK POSTS—A QUANTITY
 of tamarak posts, large size, for gate posts or corals, cheap. Apply to Chapman's Livery Barn. May 10, 2w.1

PIANO FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS
 in good condition, good tone; \$125 cash, will take it. Apply to J. C. Brazier, or at the house. May 16, 1u.

CLEAN-UP DAY
 May 25th.
 The above day has been fixed for Clean-up Day. All citizens are requested to clean up rubbish from streets and vacant property and pile it in heaps on the streets or lanes—the City will move it away. Garbage and ashes will not be removed free. A few hours' work by each citizen will make Red Deer the cleanest city in the west. Do your share!

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